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VSAT Equipment
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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has sanctioned Very Small Aperture Terminal(VSAT) for up-linking and down linking communication signals;

(b) if so, the details of VSAT equipments sanctioned for various States including Odisha;

(c) whether work orders in this regard have been issued; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the time by which the orders are placed and the equipments are installed?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
(SHRI RAVI SHANKAR PRASAD)

(a)&(b) Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited (BSNL) has reported that it is providing Very Small Aperature Terminal (VSAT) services for uplinking and downlinking communication signals. State/UT-wise details of VSAT services being provided by BSNL are given in Annexure.

(c)&(d) BSNL has reported that work order for procurement of 2300 VSAT Terminals has been placed and will be commissioned during the current financial year.
Annexure

State/UT-wise details of VSAT services of BSNL

STATE/UT	No. of VSAT Terminals
Andaman& Nicobar	16
Andhra Pradesh	2483
Arunachal Pradesh	116
Assam	266
Bihar	1907
Chhattisgarh	544
Dadra Nagar Haveli	6
Delhi	55
Goa	46
Gujarat	458
Haryana	560
Himachal Pradesh	355
Jammu &Kashmir	336
Jharkhand	613
Karnataka	1459
Kerala	475
Lakshadweep	4
Maharashtra	1005
Manipur	37
Meghalaya	114
Mizoram	113
Madhya Pradesh	878
Nagaland	35
New Delhi	2
Odisha	660
Punjab	549
Rajasthan	674
Sikkim	42
Tamil Nadu	705
Telangana	39
Tripura	35
Uttar Pradesh	2436

Uttarakhand 534
West Bengal 786
Total 18343

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